

What is claimed is:

1. A signal processing method comprising:  
an adjusting step of subjecting a sound signal that  
5 is input, to processing of adjusting at least one of  
sound volume and sound quality;  
a condition determining step of determining whether  
the input sound signal satisfies a condition that a level  
of the sound signal exceeds a predetermined value at a  
10 plurality of metering points on a signal path along which  
the input sound signal is transmitted; and  
an alarm display step of displaying an alarm when  
said condition determining step determines that the input  
sound signal satisfies the condition at at least one of  
15 the plurality of metering points.
2. A signal processing method as claimed in claim 1,  
further comprising a mixing step of mixing the sound  
signal subjected to the adjusting processing and  
outputting the mixed sound signal.
- 20 3. A signal processing method as claimed in claim 1,  
wherein the sound signal comprises a plurality of sound  
signals input for a plurality of channels, respectively,  
and said plurality of metering points are provided on a  
signal path of each of the plurality of channels along  
25 which a corresponding one of the input sound signals is  
transmitted.
4. A signal processing method as claimed in claim 1,  
wherein the plurality of metering points on the signal  
path along which the input sound signal is transmitted  
30 include at least first and second metering points, the  
method further comprising:  
a first display step of displaying a level of the  
sound signal at the first metering point on a first  
screen; and  
35 a second display step of displaying a level of the

sound signal at the second metering point on a second screen,

wherein the alarm is displayed on the first and second screen by said alarm display step.

5        5. A program executed by a computer, comprising:  
an adjusting module for subjecting a sound signal that is input, to processing of adjusting at least one of sound volume and sound quality;

10        a condition determining module for determining whether the input sound signal satisfies a condition that a level of the sound signal exceeds a predetermined value at a plurality of metering points on a signal path along which the input sound signal is transmitted; and

15        an alarm display module for displaying an alarm when said condition determining module determines that the input sound signal satisfies the condition at at least one of the plurality of metering points.

20        6. A signal processing apparatus comprising:  
an adjusting device that subjects a sound signal that is input, to processing of adjusting at least one of sound volume and sound quality;

25        a condition determining device that determines whether the input sound signal satisfies a condition that a level of the sound signal exceeds a predetermined value at a plurality of metering points on a signal path along which the input sound signal is transmitted; and

30        an alarm display device that displays an alarm when said condition determining device determines that the input sound signal satisfies the condition at at least one of the plurality of metering points.